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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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02 FC:1202 216.00 OP 03 FC:1051 130.00 OP

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• Additional claim fees of \$216 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1116 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$216

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Applicant(s): Michael J. Olesko et al.

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Response To Notice To
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Title: Stamped Airbag Retention

Members And Method Of

Members And Method Of Airbag Assembly

Attorney Docket: 45039-0028

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Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of NonProvisional Application - Filing Date Granted mailed June 3, 2004 (copy enclosed), enclosed please find an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified application. Applicant also submits herewith an Assignment with attached coversheet.

In addition, Applicant submits herewith twelve (12) sheets of replacement drawings to replace the drawings originally filed with the application.

A check in the total amount of \$1,156.00 to cover the late-filing surcharge of \$130.00, the utility application filing fee of \$770.00, the additional claims fee of \$216.00, and assignment recordal fee of \$40.00 is also enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND Fee from	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
Extra Claims below Fee Paid Total Claims 32 -20** = 12 X 18.00 = 216.00	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
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Claims Substitute Claims Claim	1807	50	1807	50	• , , ,	
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1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid					(37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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